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## Agenda Item Name:

Amendment to Annual Geotechnical Engineering Services Agreements

### Presenter:

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# Description:

Request approval of second amendment to geotechnical engineering services agreements with GSE Engineering & Consulting, Inc. and Universal Engineering Services, Inc.

### **Recommended Action:**

Approve second amendment to agreement for professional geotechnical and testing services with (1) GSE Engineering & Consulting, Inc. and (2) Universal Engineering Services, Inc.

### Prior Board Motions:

July 12, 2016 - Board approved finance report for RFP 17-149 authorizing staff to negotiate agreements with GSE and Universal.

September 27, 2016 - Board approved agreements with GSE and Universal.

February 13, 2018 - Board approved the first amendments to agreements with GSE and Universal.

### Fiscal Consideration:

Contracts will be used on an as-needed basis and engineering services are included in Department annual operating budgets and capital project budgets. Contract amendments have annual not to exceed amounts of \$500,000.

### Background:

These agreements provide routine geotechnical investigation and testing services associated with roadway, site, and stormwater design; roadway, site, and stormwater construction inspections; maintenance activities; and quality assurance/quality control on geotechnical issues that arise during development, design, or construction projects. The Public Works staff does not have the equipment, staff, or expertise to provide these services. This amendment is to extend the term of the contract through September 30, 2021 with the option to renew for one additional 2 year period.